

**TENNESSEE GENERAL ASSEMBLY  
FISCAL REVIEW COMMITTEE**



**FISCAL NOTE**

**HB 1435 - SB 1510**

March 24, 2011

**SUMMARY OF BILL:** Increases, from one to two years, the amount of time that a temporary permit to practice dietetics/nutrition is valid and increases, from a maximum of six months to a maximum of one year, the temporary permit renewal period.

**ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT:**

**NOT SIGNIFICANT**

Assumptions:

- Any decrease in collected license and permit fees due to the change in time periods will not be significant.
- The Board of Dietitian/Nutritionist Examiners will amend the forms for temporary permits to accommodate the provisions of this bill. Any rulemaking can be accomplished during regularly scheduled Board meetings without a significant increase in state expenditures.
- Pursuant to Tenn. Code Ann. § 4-3-1011, all health-related boards are required to be self-supporting over a two-year period. As of June 30, 2010, the Board had a balance of \$25,067.98.

**CERTIFICATION:**

The information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "James W. White".

James W. White, Executive Director

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